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PREFACE

The original Kuhns Genealogy was published in 1910 by the late Philip H. Shaub of Berwyn, Ill. The author of this revised edition has collected additional family history and endeavored to bring the genealogy down to date. In a number of instances it has been found impossible to locate certain relatives and get desired information. It is the regret of the author that these branches could not be completed. Your attention is called to the fact that any descendant of our Revolutionary ancestor, Philip Kuntz, is eligible to membership in the Sons of the American Revolution or the Daughters of the American Revolution, as the case may be. The author has taken pains to avoid mistakes in spite of the hand writing of some of his relatives. Any relative having additional information as to marriages, births and deaths should send it to him.

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A GENEALOGY

The Kuhns genealogy should be written in Eastern Pennsylvania, because our ancestors first settled in Northampton County. On Dec. 26, 1738 the ship Loyal Judith with Edward Painter, commander, was cast away on Block Island and a great number were lost. There is a middle ground in the Delaware River north westward of the entrance to Woodbury Creek, with is marked on the south west end by Block Island Light. The ship had sailed from Rotterdam, Netherlands, Sept. 3, 1738 with 315 Palatines, who were Lutherans fleeing from religious persecution in their native country, Germany.

The Palatinate was a name given to the district in Germany lying on both sides of the river Rhine, about midway between its source and its mouth, and its capitals were Heidelberg and later Manheim. The two Palatinates are now provinces of Bavaria. The Rhenish-Palatinate lies on the west side of the Rhine and detached from the rest of the republic. Its capital is Spires. The Upper Palatinate is in north east Bavaria and its capital is Nuremberg. Among those passengers above mentioned, tradition places the fifteen year old boy, Bernard Kuntz, who probably came over with relatives or friends. He settled in Northampton County, Pa., at or near Cherryville where he later was buried. There he married Catherine Eberhard whose parents emigrated from Germany at the same time that he did.

To them were born six sons:
Frederich, born Dec. 25, 1746, and died March 26, 1772.
Philip, born Apr. 11, 1747 and died June 18, 1822.
George, born Apr. 8, 1751, and died Oct. 2, 1817.
Peter, born Sept. 12, 1757 and died Dec. 16, 1846.
Jacob, born Feb. 28, 1759, and died Oct. 31, 1841.
John ? ? ? ?

Bernard Kuntz married twice, first Catherine Eberhard and second Anna ———, but we are chiefly interested in Catherine. The inscriptions on the tomb stone are:

"Here lies in the hope of the resurrection of the dead, Bernard Kuntz. He was born on the 3rd day of December in the year of our Lord 1723 and he died on the 14th day of July in the year of our Lord 1807, having reached the age of 83 years, 7 months and two weeks." The inscription on Catherine's is: "Here lies buried the deceased, first wife of Bernard Kuntz. She was born in the year 1723. Her name was Catherine Eberhard. She died the 17th of September, 1780, aged 57 years." These tombs are in St. Paul's church yard at Cherryville.

His second wife was Anna ——— born Jan. 1724 and died Nov. 25 1804, aged eighty years but we do not know any of the children of this second union. They lived all their lives in Cherryville, Northampton County, Pa., where they are buried in St. Paul's church yard. We know nothing further about any of them excepting Philip and John, their sons who went further west and settled in Westmorland County in 1774, where they bought land, near Hannastown and at present St. Xavier's Monastery. Philip married Emma Margaretha Steinbach, born Jan. 5, 1754, baptised in Albian Twp., Berks County. Her father was Philip Steinbach and her mother Christina Kuntz residing in North-

ampton County. Her maternal grandparents were Jacob Kuntz and Anna Margaretha ———. There were born to Philip and Emma Margaretha ten children:

Katherine married George Brindle.
Jacob married Katie Brindle.
Elizabeth married Adam Bowman.
Philip married Elizabeth Felgar first wife. He then married Margaret Bosch Rumbaugh, second wife.
Mary married Chris Loblinger.
John married Susan Welty.
Susan—unmarried.
Margaret married Daniel Berlin.
Hannah married John B. Hornish (widower).
Sophia ? ? ? ?

After Greensburg in Westmorland Co., was founded, Philip moved to that place and bought quite a bit of property. There he reared his family and there died June 18, 1822, age seventy-five years. Emma Margaretha died Jan. 16, 1837, aged eighty-three years. They were buried in the old German Lutheran Reformed Cemetery which denomination had been founded in Greensburg and vicinity largely through his efforts. Philip Kuntz, son of Bernard Kuntz, was a man prominent in Colonial affairs. He was one of the many signers of a petition to the Penns begging protection from Indians who were raiding the country. We have not been able to discover his actual service during the Revolution, but tradition says that he served under Boquet and participated in the battle of Bushy Run. He took the Oath of Allegiance, the original of which is still in the family. The original differed in the spelling.

"I do hereby certify that Philip Kuntz of Westmorland County hath voluntarily taken and subscribed the Oath, Affirmation of Allegiance and Fidelity as directed by an act of General Assembly of Pennsylvania passed the 13th day of June 1778." "Seal" "Chistopher Truby"

John Kuntz, son of Bernard Kuntz and brother of Philip, married Elizabeth Marchand, daughter of Dr. David Marchand. She had a long pedigree back of her. They had ten children, only seven of them being known, the others probably dying young. Jacob, Daniel, David, Reuben, Joseph, Samuel and Eliza.

Children of Katherine Kuntz and George Brindle

John.
Philip.
Jacob.
Mary married Barndollar.
George.
Margaret.
Annie married Barney Lynch.

Children of Jacob Kuntz and Kate Brindle

Margaret married Carrigan.
Sarah married Toney.
Elizabeth married Lewis Aucherman.
Susan and John—nothing known of them.
Tiny died in infancy.

Children of Elizabeth Kuntz and Adam Bowman

Mary married Jacob Iseman.
John married ??? Wilson.
Daniel married Martha Wolfort.
Samuel married Nancy Ringold.
Margaret married Jos. Alcorn.
Sarah married Samuel Coy.
Philip married Nancy Robinson.
Hannah married Simon Hine.
Joseph married Elizabeth Hine.
Adam married Susan Bortz.

Children of Philip Kuhns and Elizabeth Felgar his first wife

Jacob married Elizabeth Shoop, his first wife; Catherine Kircher and three others.
Daniel married ??? Christy.
Mary M. married John M. Hugus.
Henry married Margaret Thompson.
Margaret married Woodburn Kincaid.
Eliza married John Rugh.
Philip married Sybilla Rugh.

Children of Philip Kuhns and Margaret Bosch Rumbaugh, second wife

John married Mary McIntire.
Joseph—unmarried.
Martin married ??? Weible.
Sarah—died in childhood.
Susan—unmarried.

Children of Mary Kuhns and Christopher Loblinger

Elizabeth married Henry Graff.
Margaret married Adam Pare.
Mary married David Welty.
Katherine married George Rose.
Susan married Peter Graff.
Barbara married Matthew Graff.
John married—not known.

Children of John Kuhns and Susan Welty

Maria married Erasmus Rumbaugh.
Elizabeth married Fred Browneller.
Katherine died in infancy.
Philip married Ellen Bugher.
Margaret married Samuel Church, first husband; James B. Gordon, second husband.
Henry married Charlotte Josephine Hay.
John married Rachel Uhlam.
Harriet married Joseph Walthour.

Children of Hannah Kuhns and John B. Hornish, widower

Henrietta married John Smith.

Sarah—unmarried.

Joseph married Harriet Wycoff, first wife; Clara Albright, second wife.

John married Martha Plummer.

Margaret married John Frank.

William married Mary Gilbert.

Susan—unmarried.

Ann Elizabeth—died in childhood.

In 1911, John Kuhns, residing at 427 W. Pittsburg St., Greensburg, Pa., a great grandson of John Kuntz, worked out three generations of his descendents and intended to publish his findings. Luther M. Kuhns, 2433 Franklin St., Omaha, Aug. 10, 1910 writes of some of his investigations. From his uncle Philip S. Kuhns and his father he obtained quite a bit of family history. At his home in Greensburg, Pa., Philip S. Kuhns showed relatives several Revolutionary papers and one he remembers distinctly was the commission of Philip Kuntz as lieutenant in the Continental army. These papers were in a little desk in the sitting room at the time of the visit. His father and several cousins vouch for having seen them.

There are different variations of the spelling of the name "Kuhns." The original German spelling and that used on the tomb of Bernard was "Kuntz," but in these papers which have come down to us we find many different spellings, such as Countz, Cuntz, Cons, Kons, Kuns, Counze and Koons. The oath of allegiance was signed "Philip Conz." The first time that we came across the spelling "Kuhns" was in the will of Philip, on record in the Court House at Greensburg, Pa. Since then that spelling has been used.

There are many descendants of Bernard Kuntz scattered throughout Pennsylvania and other states. A member of the family who has traveled widely in Pennsylvania in search of family history, told the writer of this genealogy that the eastern portion of the state was "full of the Kuhns people."

FIRST GENERATION

Bernard Kuntz was born in the Palatinate, Germany, Dec. 3, 1723, at the age of 15 years he was brought by his elders to Cherryville, Northampton County, on the eastern border of Pennsylvania. There he later married Catherine Eberhard, born 1723, whose parents had emigrated from Germany at the same time that he came. Six sons were born to this union: Frederich, born Dec. 25, 1746, died March 26, 1772; Philip, born April 11, 1747, died June 16, 1822; George, born April 8, 1751, died Oct. 2, 1817; Peter, born Sept. 12, 1757, died Dec. 16, 1846; Jacob, born Feb. 28, 1759, died Oct. 31, 1841. John's date of birth is not known but he died in 1823. Bernard's second wife was Anna ———, born Jan. 1724, and died Nov. 25, 1804, age 80 years. We do not know of any children born to this second union. They lived all their lives at Cherryville and are buried there. Philip died July 14, 1807 and Catherine Sept. 17, 1780.

SECOND GENERATION

The only two sons of Bernard that we know anything about are Philip and John. About 1770 or 1780 they moved to Westmorland County in south-western Pennsylvania.

Philip Kuntz married Emma Margaretha Steinbach, daughter of Philip Steinbach and Christina Kuntz residing in Northampton County, Pa. She was born Jan. 5, 1754 and died Jan 16, 1837, aged 83 years. Philip died June 18, 1822, aged 75 years. They had ten children; Katherine, Jacob, Elizabeth, Philip, Mary, John, Susan, Margaret, Hannah and Sophia. The family lived at Greensburg, Pa.

John Kuntz married Elizabeth Marchand, daughter of Dr. David Marchand. They had ten children, only seven being now known, the others probably dying young. They were Jacob, Daniel, David, Reuben, Joseph, Samuel and Eliza.

THIRD GENERATION

Our ancestor next in line is Philip Kuhns, a man of small stature. His farm was two miles south-east of Greensburg, Pa., and a part of it was converted into a cemetery called Hill View, and there he and a number of his descendants are buried. At the age of 67 he was thrown from a horse and trampled on so that he died a few days after, Sept. 9, 1848. He was twice married. His first wife was Elizabeth Felgar, who was born in 1783 and died Dec. 19, 1825. To this union were born Jacob, Oct. 4, 1806; Daniel, Nov. 6, 1808; Mary M., March 9, 1811; Henry, Sept. 24, 1813; Philip, June 23, 1816; Eliza, May 17, 1820; Margaret, July 8, 1823. His second wife was Margaret Bosch Rumbaugh, who died Jan. 2, 1838. To this union were born Joseph, July 16, 1827; Martin, March 19, 1829; Susan, Nov. 19, 1830; and three whose names could not be deciphered on the record were born April 14, 1832, Aug. 6, 1834, July 19, 1836. One of these was possibly named John, as there was a John in the family. The incompleteness of this genealogy is again shown by the fact that nothing can be learned of the descendants of the children of this second union except that John and Martin moved to and died in the West. And of the first marriage, the descendants of the last daughter, Margaret, have dropped from sight. It is known that she married a man by the name of Woodburn Kincaid, was the mother of several children, and died. Mr. Kincaid married again and moved to the West, where all trace of them has been lost.

FOURTH GENERATION

Jacob Kuhns' first wife was Elizabeth Shoop. She was the daughter of Michael Shoop and Jane Royer, who lived in Montgomery County, Pa. She became the mother of their only child, Eliza L., June 1, 1836, at Leechburg, Pa. His second wife was born May 13, 1819, in the state of Ohio, and died Sept. 8, 1851. Her name was Catherine Kircher, who was a daughter of John Kircher and Eva Moller. To this union were born Margaret, Dec. 14, 1838; Mary, Jan. 6, 1840; Henrietta, June 20, 1842; Harriet, Feb. 2, 1845; Rolena, Dec. 19, 1846; Henry Albert, Oct. 16, 1849; Catherine, Sept. 5, 1851. It is thought that Mary died in infancy, Harriet at the age of 15, and Catherine lived only a few days, her

mother preceding her. These children all claimed Marine, Ill., as their native town and it was here the father lived up to within six months of his death. He died near Clinton, Mo., Sept., 1882.

Daniel Kuhns married an only daughter of a Greenburg, Pa., resident and was the father of an only son, Joseph, who lived about six miles from Greensburg.

Mary M. Kuhns was married Aug. 23, 1832, to John M. Hugus, who was born April 16, 1807. To them were born Anna Elizabeth, April 15, 1834; Kathryn, Nov. 11, 1835; Simon D., April 9, 1837; Nicholas H., June 21, 1839; Mary M., Aug. 24, 1841; John R., March 6, 1843; Sophia M., March 5, 1845; Philip R., Jan. 9, 1848; Samuel E., May 3, 1849; George L., Feb. 21, 1852; William Ezra, Oct. 8, 1854. Of these five died in infancy, near Greensburg as follows: Mary and John, Aug. 18, 1848; Sophia, Aug. 26, 1848; Philip, Aug. 21, 1848; Samuel, May 9, 1853. The husband and father died Feb. 22, 1879, at Hortons, Pa. His wife survived him sixteen years, dying June 26, 1895.

Henry Kuhns was married to Margaret Thompson, Oct. 30, 1837, and lived at Mt. Pleasant, Pa., where their children were born. They were Mary J., born Sept. 2, 1838; John, May 20, 1840, and Eliza, July 2, 1844. The husband and father died Sept. 20, 1845, aged 32. His wife died a few years later and the children were raised by three different uncles. They saw little of each other and hardly seemed related.

Philip Kuhns married Sybilla Rugh and moved to Scotch Grove, Iowa. It has been said that they had three sons.

Eliza Kuhns was married April 10, 1845, to John Rugh, who was born Feb. 20, 1823. They had seven children, namely, Oliver, Mary, Cyrus, Joanna, Amanda, John and Elizabeth. The mother died Feb. 9, 1901, and the father, April 23, 1906, both having lived to a venerable old age in their native town.

FIFTH GENERATION

The Jacob Kuhns Family

Eliza L. Kuhns was married at Leechburg Pa., Dec. 16, 1855, to William Black who was born Oct. 15, 1826. They moved to a farm north-east of LaSalle, Ill., where they raised their family and lived to the end of their lives. Children were born to this union as follows: Thomas Kuhns, was born at Morris, Ill., Oct. 2, 1856; James J., in the city of LaSalle, May 8, 1858; Mary Elizabeth, at LaSalle, Aug. 29, 1860; Alice Maud, near LaSalle, Aug. 7, 1869; William Charles, near LaSalle, Jan. 26, 1875; Edith May, near LaSalle, Nov. 26, 1878. The wife and mother died Jan. 20, 1902, and was followed by her husband Oct. 30, 1903. Both are buried in the cemetery at Troy Grove, a few miles north of their former home.

Margaret Kuhns was married at Marine, Ill., on March 15, 1860, to Henry Herman Gottenstrater, who was born in Hesse, Darmstadt, Germany, Sept. 17, 1834. They always lived on a farm near Marine, and in this vicinity all their descendants live. Their children were: Mary Agnes,

born Jan. 6, 1861; William Jacob, Aug. 12, 1863; Emma Etta, Aug. 29, 1866; Henry Louis, Aug. 20, 1869. The husband and father died Aug. 23, 1901. The writer was not able to find the date and place of death of the mother.

Henrietta Kuhns was married on Sept. 19, 1869, at Marine, Ill., to Francis Louis Shaub, who was born at Lichtenau, Hesse Cassel, Germany, Dec. 12, 1843. With the exception of two years, when they lived near Edgewood, Ill., they had lived on farms in the vicinity of Marine, Ill. In 1903 they moved to Highland, Ill. Their children were: Philip Harmon, born at Marine, Ill., June 19, 1870, and Nellie May, born June 5, 1876, at Edgewood. Henrietta died Feb. 17, 1904. Francis L., died Sept. 6, 1923.

Rolena Kuhns married Adam Oberlin on Nov. 24, 1868. He was a native of Indiana, having been born there July 12, 1845. They lived near Marine until about 1877, when they moved to Tarrant County, Texas. They were the parents of eight children; infant daughter, Aug. 23, 1869; Estella Elizabeth, Aug. 9, 1870; George Allen, Jan. 28, 1873; Nettie Rolena, Sept. 9, 1875; infant daughter, Aug. 30, 1878; Elmer Curtis, Oct. 15, 1879; Addie May, Aug. 24, 1882; infant son, Nov. 19, 1885. Elmer Curtis died April 8, 1881. Rolena died Nov. 23, 1885. The father and husband died Jan. 17, 1907. Grapevine, Texas, was the family home.

Henry Albert Kuhns was married to Margaret Shart at Smithport, Pa., Nov. 11, 1875. She was born in New York City, Feb. 13, 1844. They made their home near Marine, Ill., for about 4 years, when they moved to West Point, Kansas. They moved back to Marine about the year 1894. They later moved to Burlingame, Kansas, where they resided on their own farm. They were the parents of five children; William Henry, Oct. 14, 1876; John Jacob, March 17, 1878; George Elmer, Feb. 28, 1880; Margaret Belle, March 5, 1882; James Albert, July 23, 1885. John died March 21, 1896. The father died Oct. 28, 1923, at Assaria, Kansas. The mother died at Assaria, Kansas on May 12, 1927.

The John M. Hugus Family

Ann Elizabeth Hugus became the wife of Samuel States on Sept. 18, 1856, in Indiana County, Pa. He was born Feb. 15, 1833, in the same county. The first three children were born in Indiana County, Pa., Keithsville, Mo., and Marysville, Iowa, respectively, the latter place being the birthplace of the remainder of the family and the place where the mother died April 15, 1905. Their children were born as follows: Joanna, May 6, 1857, Mary Susan, April 8, 1859; Sophia Katherine, Oct. 24, 1861; Allie, May 30, 1862; Jane, May 11, 1864; Lucy, Sept. 6, 1866; Adam, Jan. 11, 1871; John, Oct. 23, 1874. Mary Susan died Aug. 25, 1866.

Catherine Hugus was married to Lawrence McQuown May 6,1886. She had no children. She died at Canoe Ridge, Pa., March 3, 1909.

Simon D. Hugus was married at Franklin City, Pa., to Winnifred Fay on July 4, 1866. She was born in Ireland, Sept. 27, 1848. They had two sons, William Ezra, who is dead and Robert James, born Jan. 24, 1869.

Nicholas Hugus married Margaret P. Watson at Philadelphia, Pa., on Dec. 4, 1877. She was born Aug. 18, 1842. They had no children.

George L. Hugus married Mary Henry, a native of Indiana County, Pa., on Feb. 21, 1878. She was born March 28, 1852. They were the parents of three children. They lived at Rochester Mills, Pa.

William Ezra Hugus became the husband of Mary Emelia Wetzel, a native of Clarion County, Pa., on March 11, 1880. She was born April 12, 1862. The family home was at Knox, Pa. To these parents were born five children: Kate May, Feb. 17, 1881; John Edward, March 24, 1886; George Lloyd, June 2, 1890; Edgar Stanley, June 21, 1896; William Oscar, Aug. 17, 1904. John died at the age of twenty, Aug. 24, 1906.

The Henry Kuhns Family

Mary J. Kuhns became the wife of John Ruff, Jan. 7, 1858. They resided near Greensburg, Pa. They were the parents of three children; Laura Ida, born Sept. 20, 1860; Maggie, Oct. 25, 1862; Norman, Dec. 11, 1872.

John Kuhns was raised by his uncle, Daniel Kuhns. He enlisted in the Civil War and was flag bearer in the Battle of Fredericksburg. In this battle he lost a leg and received other wounds. After the war he married and was the father of two daughters, the second not having been born when he died, in Pittsburg. His wife died soon after and their children were raised by their maternal grandmother, being known by her name. They married and live in Pittsburg.

Eliza Kuhns married David Brady. They had no children. Both died in Pittsburg, Pa.

SIXTH GENERATION

The William Black Family

Thomas Kuhns Black on March 15, 1882, married Alice E. Hamel, who was born near LaSalle, Ill., on Oct. 26, 1857. She is the eldest daughter of Johannes Hamel and Lucy Riggs. Her father was born Aug. 27, 1823, at Hatzbach, Hessen Cassell, Germany. He died July 26. 1888 near LaSalle, Ill. Her mother, Lucy Riggs was born May 17, 1835 at Pottsville, Pa., and died at LaSalle, Ill., Dec. 23, 1908. They were married Dec. 25, 1852 at LaSalle, Ill. Thomas K. died March 21, 1927, at Jefferson, Iowa, and his widow still lives there. They had two children, John Roland, who was born March 15, 1883, near LaSalle, Ill., and Bessie Vane, who was born near Jefferson, Iowa on Sept. 19, 1885.

James J. Black married Minnie Peters on May 29, 1884 at LaSalle, Ill., the native town of both. She was born Aug. 21, 1866, the daughter of James Peters and Elizabeth Pherson. Their children were born near LaSalle, Ill., as follows: Ida Maud, April 4, 1885; Charles Earl, July 21, 1887; Jeane Elizabeth, March 26, 1893 and William James, July 21, 1895.

Mary Elizabeth Black became the wife of George Johnson Shinn on Jan. 8, 1885, at LaSalle, Ill. He was born at Lebanon, N. J., Dec. 20, 1859, the son of William Shinn and Katherine Hirsch. Their children, all born at Streator, Ill., are: Fannie Lloyd, Oct. 22, 1885; Fred William, Oct. 15, 1887; and George Black, March 18, 1893. The father died at their home in Ames, Iowa, July 31, 1926. Mrs. Shinn now resides in Des Moines, Iowa.

Alice Maud Black was married to John Boyd Forbes, Feb. 3, 1892, at LaSalle, Ill. He was born at Bloomington, Ill., Oct. 12, 1863, a son of Andrew Forbes and Christie Ann McMillan. While residing at Jefferson, Iowa, four children were born to them, Russel B., Jan. 4, 1893, who lived less than a month, dying Feb. 3, 1893. Lowell Lynn was born Jan. 17, 1894; Muriel McMillan on June 30, 1896, and Gretchen, Aug. 15, 1910. The father died on Nov. 13, 1929 at Dexter, Iowa.

William Charles Black married Gertrude Sweet at LaSalle, Ill., on Feb. 14, 1898. She was born March 4, 1880 at LaSalle, Ill., the daughter of Marcus Sweet and Mary Pepson. They had two children, Isabelle, born at Chicago on June 22, 1900, and William Charles Jr., born at LaSalle, on Dec. 16, 1901. The home address is 7836 S. Morgan St., Chicago.

Edith May Black became the wife of Arthur Ethelfred Jackson at Ottawa, Ill., on Feb. 8, 1898. He was born Aug. 25, 1875 at Pickering, Ontario, Canada, the son of James Jackson and Mary Jane Fielding. His father was born May 30, 1849 in County Anthrum, Ireland; and he died May 11, 1925 at Winterset, Iowa. His mother was born Nov. 14, 1856, at Liverpool, England, and died May 6, 1921 at Winterset, Iowa. His parents were married March 8, 1873 at Pickering, Ontario, Canada.

The four Jackson children were born as follows: Charles William, born Feb. 19, 1899 at Gault, Iowa; Vivian Eliza, born Oct. 24, 1902 at Gault, Iowa; Raymond Russell, born Aug. 16, 1906 at Winterset, Iowa, and Paul Eugene, born Feb. 18, 1916 at Winterset, Iowa.

The Henry Herman Gottenstrater Family

Mary Agnes Gottenstrater married Willam Henry Pence Jan. 3, 1893, at Marine, Ill., the native town of both. He was born Dec. 23, 1857. Their children are Leola Margaret, born Dec. 18, 1893; Florence Mary, Jan. 24, 1896; George Herman, Oct. 15, 1897; Russell William, March 11, 1900; Ruth Emma, April 2, 1907. Florence Mary died Jan. 8, 1897.

William J. Gottenstrater married Eva Ann Stuckwisch Nov. 25, 1887 at Marine, Ill., where both were born. She was born April 26, 1866. Two children were born at Marine, Ill.; Erwin William Herman, Nov. 14, 1889; and Amy Alvena, Oct. 28, 1904. The mother died Aug. 25, 1904 and the father Feb. 19, 1938.

Emma Etta Gottenstrater married Charles Brockman at Marine, Ill., Oct. 20, 1897. He was born Oct. 1866. She died Sept. 8, 1899.

Henry Louis Gottenstrater, on March 3, 1898, married Mrs. Lulu (Schmidt) Biglein, who was born born Aug. 7, 1871, at Marine, Ill. They resided on a farm near Marine, where their children were born. Frederich Herman was born Jan. 30, 1899. Edith Amelia was born June 10, 1900. Esther Emma was born Aug. 30, 1903.

The Francis Louis Shaub Family

Philip Harmon Shaub married Clara Josephine Neis at Chicago on Feb. 23, 1903. She was born at Ohio, Ill., on July 24, 1872. Their three daughters are Henrietta Barbara, born in Chicago, June 23, 1904; Phyllis Evelyn, born at Berwyn, Ill., on May 15, 1907 and Gretchen

June, born June 30, 1909, at Berwyn, Ill. Philip graduated from the Illinois State Normal College at Normal, Ill., in 1896. He was principal in the public schools of Ohio, Ill., for three years. In 1900 he began his employment in the U. S. Civil Service. He entered the Chicago Custom House in 1900 and became cashier there until his death Nov. 7, 1938. He was the founder and first president of the National Customs Service Association. He was dignified and gentlemanly, deeply religious and had a gentle kindliness that was exceptional. He compiled the first edition of the Kuhns genealogy.

Nellie May Schaub married Christian Accola at Marine, Ill., on March 24, 1897. He was born near there on March 20, 1868. Their children were born near Marine. Melvin Christian was born Dec. 26, 1897; Osman George, Oct. 10, 1898; Kenneth Louis, April 10, 1900; Myrta, March 11, 1903; Genevre, Sept. 6, 1904; Leone, March 14, 1906; and infant son, May 26, 1909. Nellie passed to her reward June 17, 1909.

The Adam Oberlin Family

Estella Elizabeth Oberlin became the wife of Fred Casper Jett on April 22, 1886, at Grapevine, Texas. He was born in Tennessee, May 19, 1862. Nine children were born to them. Flora May was born Sept. 17, 1887; Rolena Ann, at Smithfield, Texas, Oct. 27, 1889; Laura Myrtle, June 12, 1891, dying soon after; Cass Ferdinand, Feb. 17, 1893; Ulric Orlando at Springtown, Texas, April 14, 1896; Ruth Estella, at Grapevine, Texas, Oct. 31, 1898; infant daughter, May 19, 1901; Mary Pauline, at Ft. Worth, Texas, Feb. 16, 1903; John Adam, at Maypearl, Texas, Sept. 8, 1907. The father died March 29, 1926 at Shamrock, Texas.

George Allen Oberlin married America Angelina Seay at Italy, Texas on Oct. 27, 1901. She was born Oct. 17, 1880 and died Feb. 22, 1917 at Memphis, Texas. They had seven children born as follows: Flora May, Nov 30, 1902; Adam Wesley, March 8, 1904; Hazel Velma, Sept. 30, 1906; Nettie Angelina, Aug. 2, 1908; Mary Ellen, June 10, 1910; Sadielee, Dec. 8, 1913; George Allen, Jr., Feb. 17, 1917.

Nettie Rolena Oberlin became the wife of George Burk Priddy at Aurora, Texas, on March 25, 1894. He was born March 24, 1862 in Huron, Tennessee. Their six children were all born at Ft. Worth, Texas. Effie Estella, June 18, 1899; Ellen Jane, June 15, 1901; Carl Alexander, Sept. 23, 1903, dying on Nov. 3, 1906; Elbert Adam, Jan. 3, 1906; Charles Burk, July 11, 1909 and Roy Lloyd, Aug. 14, 1913.

Addie May Oberlin was married to Jack Martin Jan. 21, 1899 at Richmond, Mo. They lived at Strawn, Texas. Anna Rolena was born at Strawn, Texas, Oct. 27, 1899; William Edward, born May 16, 1902, at Orrick, Mo., Ralph A., born Feb. 15, 1905, at Strawn, Texas, and Elmer Curtis, born Aug. 29, 1909 at Strawn, Texas.

The Henry Albert Kuhns Family

William Henry Kuhns was married to Emma Susan Young Nov. 20, 1901, at Assaria, Kansas. She was born Jan. 25, 1883. Their children were born at Assaria, as follows: Ethel Margaret, Oct. 3, 1903; Hazel Catherine, Sept. 29, 1905; Agnes Belle and Henry Albert, twins, June 10, 1909; the boy dying the next day; Darel William, April 27, 1915;

Ralph Henry, Jan. 19, 1917; Eleanor Emma, June 15, 1923. The father died Oct. 26, 1936 at Salt Lake City, Utah. The mother still lives at Assaria, Kansas.

George Elmer Kuhns married Pansy Louise Mullin at Challis, Wash., on July 20, 1920. She was born at Sauk Center, Minn., on Aug. 8, 1886. Their son, George Elmer, Jr., was born July 7, 1928 at Copalis Beach, Wash. They live at 305 Welch St., Silverton, Oregon.

Margaret Belle Kuhns was married to James Bernard Young at Burlingame, Kansas, on Feb. 15, 1905. He was born April 23, 1878 at Monroe, Pa. Their children were born at Assaria, Kansas. Merel Edward was born Feb. 12, 1907; Veda May, Dec. 14, 1908 and Ireta Margaret, Oct. 16, 1917.

James Albert Kuhns married Florence Mabel Richmire at Anacortes, Wash., on Jan. 15, 1914. She was born at Luther, Mich., on July 26, 1889.

John Kuhns lived at Anacortes, Wash., in 1910 and was unmarried. We have not been able to find him.

The Samuel States Family

Joanna States was married to Samuel O. Whitlatch at Marysville, Iowa, on Dec. 15, 1878. He was born Aug. 14, 1848. Their children were born at Marysville as follows: Edith, Oct. 4, 1882; Kenith, Jan. 12, 1888, dying Aug. 8, 1890; and Elsie, Dec. 14, 1898.

Sophia Katherine States became the wife of Frank Wilson at Marysville, Iowa, May 30, 1895. He was born there June 16, 1859. They had one child, Mae, born Oct. 20, 1898. The mother died Oct. 24, 1900.

Allie States was married March 18, 1883, at Marysville, Iowa, to John H. Walter, who was born there Oct. 10, 1856. Their children were born at Marysville as follows: Eva, Aug. 18, 1884; Becca, April 14, 1886; Lizzie, Nov. 10, 1891; Dora, Dec. 12, 1894; John, Sept. 5, 1897; infant, Oct. 20, 1900; Harold, July 31, 1903; Opal, Jan. 30, 1907; Harold died Dec. 5, 1909.

Jane States was married at Marysville, Iowa, to Charles Park, on March 16, 1887. They resided at Skidmore, Mo., where it is believed their children were born. Jennie May was born June 29, 1888; Ivy Ethel, April 24, 1891; Allen Russell, Jan. 15, 1894; Eva Elsie, April 14, 1897; Opal Bernice, Dec. 11; 1900; Samuel, Dec. 23, 1902. Three deaths have occurred as follows: Opal, Feb. 6, 1901; Allen, Dec. 21, 1904; Samuel, Jan. 4, 1905. The two oldest girls married: Jennie May, on Dec. 25, 1907, and residing at Fortesque, Mo.; Ivy Ethel on Nov. 26, 1909, and residing at Rulo, Neb.

Lucy States became the wife of Arthur R. Davis at Marysville, Iowa, on Dec. 29, 1896. He was born at Attica, Iowa, Jan. 14, 1872. They were the parents of five children; Heliot, born Feb. 2, 1898, dying two days later, Allen, March 9, 1899, dying the same day; Clara Fern, May 29, 1901; Marion Bessie, Nov. 3, 1903, dying Aug. 3, 1905; Loren Wayne, Sept. 7, 1905. Mr. Davis died April 1, 1908.

Adam States was unmarried and living at Lovila, Iowa in 1910.

John States was unmarried and living at Hamilton, Iowa in 1910.

The Simon Hugus Family

Robert James Hugus was married at his bride's native town, Punxsutawney, Pa., on Sept. 1, 1892, to Sallie Myrtle Ellenberger, who was born Feb. 27, 1874. They lived at Sewickley, Pa. Five children were born to them: Marion Gail, June 23, 1893; Sara Inda, Sept. 27, 1895; George Harlan, Oct. 20, 1897; Simon Forrest, Dec. 8, 1899. Marion Gail died July 20, 1893.

The George Hugus Family

Joanna R. Hugus was married on April 18, 1906, to Oran B. Mogle, who was born in Indiana County, Pa., July 27, 1882. Their home was at Juneau, Pa. They had one daughter, Genevieve Elizabeth, born Sept. 28, 1907.

The William Ezra Hugus Family

Kate May Hugus was married on Jan. 7, 1899, to William Richard Best, who was born Dec. 4, 1878. They reside at Knox, Pa. They have three children, born as follows: Pearlie Edna, July 13, 1900; Gladys Lucile, June 11, 1903; Laird Arthur, May 9, 1909.

The John Ruff Family

Laura Ida Ruff married a Mr. Scott and resided at Jacksonville, Florida.

Maggie Ruff was married at Greensburg, Pa., to Joseph F. Klingensmith, who was born near that place on June 29, 1848. They resided on a farm near Greensburg, Pa. Their children were born as follows: Irene Estella, Sept. 12, 1885; John MacCreary, Jan. 10, 1888; Levi Franklin, Oct. 23, 1890; Mary Naomi, Feb. 13, 1893; Margaret Josephine, June 27, 1895.

Norman Ruff was married Oct. 3, 1894, to Maud Ethel Fishel at Greensburg, Pa., where both were born. She was born April 24, 1873. Their children are Ethel Sara, born Oct. 2, 1895; Glen Howard, June 25, 1900.

SEVENTH GENERATION

The Fred Casper Jett Family

Flora May Jett married Daniel W. McGee on Feb. 15, 1903, at Ft. Worth, Texas. On July 11, 1904, she gave birth to James Jett and the next day she died. The baby died Dec. 2, 1904.

Rolena Anna Jett was married at Maypearl, Texas, to James H. Bradley, June 9, 1907. He was born at Thornton, Texas, on Jan. 15, 1883. Their children were born as follows: Clara Pearl at Dozier, Texas, on March 26, 1908; Anna May at Shamrock, Texas, on Aug. 12, 1909; Grace Irene at Benonine, Texas, on Jan. 25, 1912; Mary Ruth at Benonine, Texas, on Dec. 16, 1913; Jessie Estella, at Memphis, Texas, on Jan. 22, 1916; Frances Lorene at Wellington, Texas, on March 22, 1918; Ella June at Wellington, Texas, on Oct. 25, 1920; Dorothy Geraldine at Wellington, Texas, on March 28, 1923; James Ernestine at Mobeetie, Texas, on Sept. 7, 1926. The family home is at Mobeetie, Texas.

Cass Ferdinand Jett married Gertie Harrell at Wellington, Texas, on

Dec. 19, 1920. She was born at Blue Grove, Texas on March 24, 1899. Their children were born at Wellington, Texas as follows: Jesse Ferdinand, Nov. 24, 1921; Watanere Estella, Aug. 19, 1923; Frank Edward, Dec. 9, 1925; Kenneth Willard, Nov. 17, 1929. They live at Denniston, Texas.

Ulric Orlando Jett married Zeffie Ruth Bishop at Wellington, Texas on Dec. 26, 1920. She was born at Bowie, Texas on March 3, 1911. Their children were born as follows: J. B. Jett, Jan. 1, 1922, at Wellington, Texas; Walter Claude at McLean, Texas on July 13, 1924; Lurlene Ruth at Wellington, Texas on Sept. 14, 1926; Joe Sanford at Shamrock, Texas on Aug. 1, 1933; Jerry Lynn, Feb. 19, 1933. They live at 109 N. Texas St. Shamrock, Texas.

Ruth Estella Jett married T. M. Wyrick at Wellington, Texas, on June 5, 1921. He was born Feb. 4, 1894, in Indian Territory. Their daughter, Betty Jene, was born at Panhandle, Texas, on Oct. 16, 1927. They live in Dodsonville, Texas.

Mary Pauline Jett married William Levi Scarberry at Wellington, Texas on Dec. 25, 1919. He was born at Honey Grove, Texas on Sept. 17, 1894. Their children were born at Wellington, Texas as follows: Mary Lee on Feb. 25, 1924; Vivian Lee on Feb. 25, 1926; Ruby La Wanda, on Dec. 16, 1927; Peggy Geraldine on Dec. 11, 1929; Melvin Ray on Nov. 21, 1931; Reba Fae on Sept. 12, 1933; Cloice George on Feb. 12, 1939. They live at Wellington, Texas.

John Adam Jett was married to Jessie Leta Robertson at Sayre, Okla., on Dec. 24, 1932. She was born at Ford City, Texas on Oct. 11, 1914. Their daughter, Pamala Kay, was born March 22, 1938, at Amarillo. Texas. They live at Pampa, Texas.

The Samuel O. Whitlatch Family

Edith Whitlatch was married Aug. 22, 1906, to Richard Smith at Knoxville, Iowa. He was born near there Feb. 21, 1877. Their home is at Marysville, Iowa, where their son, Albert, was born June 18, 1907.

The John H. Walter Family

Eva Walter was married Jan. 18, 1904 to Frank Mark at Knoxville, Iowa, their present home. Their son, Paul, was born there on Dec. 30, 1908.

Becca Walter was married Aug. 4, 1903 to a Mr. Gladson. They lived at Lovilla, Iowa.

The James B. Young Family

Merel Edward Young married Lotta Rogers at Columbus, Kansas, on July 7, 1928. She was born April 17, 1907 at Jasper, Mo. Their children were born at Colby, Kansas as follows: Merel Edward, Jr., on April 21, 1931; Barbara Joan on Dec. 10, 1933. Their home is at Assaria, Kansas.

Veda May Young was married to Wallace Joseph Pihl at Assaria, Kansas on Aug. 14, 1929. He was born at Bridgeport, Kansas, on Feb.

15, 1907. Their children were born at Smolan, Kansas as follows: Vera Jo May, June 11, 1930; Donald Wayne on Oct. 21, 1931; Leroy Bernard on May 21, 1933.

Ireta Margaret Young married Floyd Leonard Woodrow Swenson at Burlington, Iowa, on Dec 14, 1937. He was born at Bavaria, Kansas, on Jan. 19, 1915. They live at 258 W. North St., Galesburg, Illinois.

The William Henry Pence Family

George Herman Pence married Elbertine Neudecker at St. Louis, Mo., on Sept. 10, 1919. She was born at Marine, Ill., on March 31, 1898. Their home is at Marine, Ill., where their son, Olin George, was born June 30, 1921.

Russell William Pence married Bertha Octavia Strawn at Dallas, Texas on Sept. 23, 1927. She was born Oct. 6, 1900 at Kedron, Ark. Their home is at Marine, Ill.

Leola Margaret Pence married Hugo William Louis May on Aug. 20, 1919, at Marine, Ill. He was born at Marine, Ill., on June 6, 1894. Their home is at Marine where their children were born as follows: Calvin William on May 17, 1920 and the twins, Hazel Flora and Helen Mary, on Dec. 27, 1921.

The Jack Martin Family

Anna Rolena Martin married Norman Hays on June 1, 1918 at Kansas City, Mo. He was born Feb. 8, 1900 at Boicourt, Kansas. Their home is in Kansas City where their children were born. Anna Rolena was born Oct. 20, 1919 and Charles Sherman on Dec. 12, 1923.

William Edward Martin was married to Mary Allison Burleigh on May 10, 1930. She was born March 26, 1906 at Richmond, Mo.

The Kreutzberg Family

Gus L. Kreutzberg married Esther Emma Gottenstrater at St. Louis on March 14, 1923. He was born at Marine, Ill., on March 12, 1893. Their home is at Marine where their children were born as follows: Robert Gustave on April 18, 1924; Bonnie Lou on July 29, 1925; Ralph Henry on Nov. 11, 1926; Fred Herman on Nov. 23, 1927; Hazel Edith on Dec. 7, 1929 and Mary Ann on Aug. 4, 1932.

The William Henry Kuhns Family

Ethel Margaret Kuhns was married to Burt James Marshall at Salina, Kans., on Feb. 28, 1923. They live at Enid, Okla. Their children were born there as follows: Douglas on June 9, 1924; Miles on Feb. 16, 1926; Irene on Oct. 17, 1928; Kenneth on March 22, 1930; Edna Violet on Feb. 2, 1933 and Lavilda in Aug. 1936.

Hazel Catherine Kuhns was married to William Lockhart at Salina, Kansas on Dec. 18, 1923. He was born at Owensville, Mo., on June 29, 1898. Their children were born as follows: Bernice Hazel, May 15, 1925 at St. Louis; Woodrow Frederick, May 30, 1927 at St. Louis; Clarence Elmer, Sept. 16, 1928, at Assaria, Kan.

Agnes Belle Kuhns was married to Frank Sylvanus Stevens at Enid, Okla., on May 22, 1929. He was born May 3, 1905 in Rusk County, Wis.

Their children Richard Elworth was born at Burt, Wis., on Aug. 26, 1930; James Darrell was born at Ladysmith, Wis., on Nov. 24, 1931. The twins, Sylvester Orville and Sylvia May, were born on Oct. 17, 1932. Jackie Lee was born March 21, 1934 and died the next day. The Stevens family lives at 408 E. Fourth St., Ladysmith, Wis.

William Jacob Gottenstrater Family

Erwin William Herman Gottenstrater married Josie Henrietta Joerns at St. Louis, Mo., on March 20, 1912. She was born at St. Louis, Mo., on Jan. 2, 1892. Their son, Billy Joerns was born at St. Louis on April 3, 1918. They live at Chamblee, Georgia.

Amy Alvena Gottenstrater was married to Charles Albert Vogelbacher at Marine, Ill., on June 20, 1925. He was born at Marine, Ill., on Dec. 5, 1902. Their home is at Marine, Ill., and their daughter, Jean Loueve, was born there on May 16, 1926.

The Philip H. Shaub Family

Henrietta Barbara Shaub was married to Kenneth Louis Accola at Rock Island, Ill., on March 15, 1930. He was born at Marine, Ill., on April 10, 1900. They live in Berwyn, Ill., where their son, Kenneth Louis II was born March 6, 1932.

Gretchen June Shaub was married to David Leon Albaugh at Dixon, Ill., on Sept. 23, 1926. He was born in Chicago on Nov. 18, 1905. Their children were born in Berwyn, Ill., as follows: David Charles on July 31, 1927 and Patricia June on June 1, 1929. Gloria Jean was born Feb. 20, 1938 at Springfield, Mo. They make their home at 524 S. Second St., Mayfield, Kentucky.

The George Burk Priddy Family

Effie Estella Priddy was married to Charles C. Nolder at Ft. Worth, Texas, on Oct. 8, 1921. He was born at Ft. Worth on July 24, 1897. their home is on Route 2, Ft. Worth, Texas, where their son, Jack Edward' was born on Sept. 9, 1924.

Ella Jane Priddy was married to Sandy Wyman Grant at Ft. Worth, Texas on Feb. 25, 1920. He was born at Ft. Worth on Feb. 25, 1901. They live on Route 2, Ft. Worth.

Elbert Adam Priddy married Ersie Mae Robinson who was born at Springtown, Texas, on July 20, 1906. Their home is at Ft. Worth where their daughters were born as follows: Rolena June on Dec 14, 1933 and Elbertine Emily on Nov. 14, 1938.

Charles Burk Priddy married Dorothy Elouise Pritchard at Marietta, Okla., on Aug. 12, 1933. She was born at Coldwater, Miss., on Aug. 12, 1912. They live at 3032 S. Adams St., Ft. Worth.

Roy Lloyd Priddy married Mildred Bruce Stone at Ft. Worth on Sept. 4, 1937. She was born at Ft. Worth on Aug. 27, 1918. They live in Ft. Worth.

The Christian Accola Family

Melvin Christian Accola married Alpha Leone Curnow at Berwyn, Ill., on May 24, 1927. She was born at Tonica, Ill., on July 4, 1900. Bar-

bara Leigh was born at Berwyn on Dec. 20, 1929; Raymond Melvin was born at Lombard, Ill., on Aug. 11, 1937. They live at 75 N. Elizabeth St., Lombard, Ill.

Osman George Accola married Wilma Gladys Dresbach at Guthrie Center, Iowa, on Feb. 24, 1921. She was born at Pontiac Ill., on April 14, 1902. Their children were born at Coon Rapids, Iowa, as follows; Osman Wayne on May 28, 1922; Francis Howard on May 28, 1924; Phyllis Ann on July 16, 1929. They live at Manning, Iowa.

Kenneth Louis Accola married Henrietta Barbara Shaub at Rock Island, Ill., on March 15, 1930. She was born in Chicago on June 23, 1904. Their son, Kenneth Louis II, was born March 6, 1932, at Berwyn, Ill. They live at 3206 Home Ave., in Berwyn.

Myrta Accola was married to Lewis Harry Nelson at Denver, Colo., on July 31, 1930. He was born at Peabody, Kansas on Aug. 19, 1898. They live in Cheyenne, Wyoming where their children were born as follows: Janet Kathryn on May 16, 1931 and Nellie Mae on Oct. 31, 1932.

Genevre Accola was married to Henry John Muelbach at Warrensburg, Mo., on March 17, 1931. He was born in Kansas City, Mo., on Oct. 1, 1892. Their children were born at Kansas City, Mo., as follows: Henry John on July 5, 1932 and June Loraine on March 2, 1936. They live at Stoutsville, Mo.

Leone Accola was married to Earnie A. Reid at Liberty, Mo., on Oct. 27, 1931. He was born at Kidder, Mo., on Jan. 1, 1908. They live at 711 Parco St., Kansas City, Mo.

The Thomas Kuhns Black Family

John Roland Black married Mary Doris Pratt at Madrid, Iowa on June 16, 1918. She was born at Manson, Iowa on April 10, 1889. Their children were born at Jefferson, Iowa as follows: Ruth Elizabeth on May 7, 1920; Thomas Kuhns on March 13, 1923; and Margaret Louise on Oct. 8, 1924.

Bessie Vane Black was married to Oren Park Thompson at Jefferson, Iowa, on Dec. 28, 1910. He was born at Jefferson, Iowa, on Dec. 27, 1881. Their children were born at Jefferson, Iowa as follows: Elvin Dean, Feb. 3, 1911; and Alice Ann, Aug. 22, 1913.

The James J. Black Family

Ida Maud Black married Harry McLaughlin in Humboldt, Iowa, on March 31, 1931. He was born Sept. 23, 1877 at Dixon, Ill. They live on a farm north of LaSalle, Ill.

Charles Earl Black married Jessie Amelia Robinson at Dixon, Ill., on June 24, 1908. She was born at Peru, Ill., on Feb. 22, 1892, and died at their home north of LaSalle, Ill., on Jan. 19, 1935. Here their children were born as follows: Lester Russell, Dec. 22, 1909; Letha Ruth, Feb. 8, 1912; and Delmar Charles, May 15, 1914.

Jeane Elizabeth Black was married to Glen Watkins Somers, at Jackson, Michigan on Nov. 26, 1919. He was born at Kokomo, Indiana, on July 17, 1895. They were the parents of two children born as fol-

lows: Virginia Ruth, May 23, 1922 at LaSalle, Ill., and Kendall Lee, March 26, 1925, at Beloit, Wis. Jeane died at Muskegon, Mich., on Dec. 30, 1939.

William James Black married Mary Belle Roe at LaSalle, Ill., on Sept. 30, 1915. She was born at Oglesby, Ill., on April 28, 1897. They live on the farm in Dimmick Twp., LaSalle County, that once belonged to his grandfather, William Black and was the Black homestead for many years. They are the parents of four sons born as follows: Warren James, in Dimmick Twp., on Nov. 14, 1917; Robert Allen, at Peru, Ill., on Jan. 6, 1919; and the twins, Wayne Ross and Wesley Roe, on June 14, 1923 at their farm home.

The George Johnson Shinn Family

Fanny Lloyd Shinn was married to William Earl Risley at Ames, Iowa, on Aug. 15, 1912. He was born at Streator, Ill., on Aug. 18, 1885. They have one child, George Albert, born in Streator, Ill., on March 23, 1920. They live at 913 N. Division St., Creston, Iowa.

Fred William Shinn married Martha H. Hanson at Sioux City, Iowa, on Jan. 25, 1918. She was born at Emerson, Neb., on Oct. 13, 1888. Two children were born to them. Janice Pauline was born March 14, 1919 at Chicago and died at Sioux City on Nov. 2, 1919. John W., was born at Camp Gaillard, Panama Canal Zone, on Jan. 23, 1924. They have never had a permanent address because Fred has been an officer in the Veterinary Corps of the United States Army since Sept. 17, 1917.

George Black Shinn married Doris Mabel Craven at Creston, Iowa, on April 27, 1923. She was born at Macksburg, Iowa, on Aug. 21, 1899. Three sons were born to them as follows: Robert Paul, April 22, 1925 at Van Meter, Iowa, dying April 25, 1925. Jack William, July 7, 1930 and Jerry Frank, May 11, 1932, at Des Moines, Iowa. George died suddenly Feb. 14, 1933 near his home at Van Meter.

The John B. Forbes Family

Lowell Lynn Forbes married Lillian Mildred Miller at Preston, Iowa, on Aug. 12, 1919. She was born at Preston on Jan. 29, 1897. They have three daughters born in Mason City, Iowa, as follows: Enid on Nov. 3, 1920; Shirley, June 25, 1922 and Marilyn on June 2, 1924. They reside at Mason City.

Muriel McMillan Forbes was married to Harris Burr Frampton at Scranton, Iowa, on Jan. 9, 1918. He was born at Boone, Iowa on Dec. 22, 1890. Their only child, Harriet Ramona, was born in Houston, Texas on Feb. 26, 1919.

Gretchen Forbes was married to Hugh Lester Barton at Des Moines, Iowa, on July 31, 1934. He was born at Altoona, Iowa, Sept. 14, 1909 and died suddenly Oct. 30, 1937.

The William Charles Black Family

Isabelle Black married Benjamin Francis Joy in Chicago on April 2, 1930. He was born in Chicago on May 8, 1895. Their children were born in Chicago as follows: Mary Patricia on Aug. 25, 1931 and Robert Thomas on Sept. 7, 1932. They live at 7836 S. Morgan St., Chicago.

William Charles Black married Esther Hermine Rodenberg in Chicago on Feb. 18, 1939. She was born in Richmond, Indiana on Dec. 22, 1909. A daughter, Rita Louise, was born to them in Chicago on July 30, 1941. They reside at 1315 80th St., Chicago.

The Arthur Ethelfred Jackson Family

Charles William Jackson married Emily Marie Shearer on March 17, 1920 at St. Paul, Minn. She was born at Macksburg, Iowa, on Oct. 30, 1897. They have one daughter, Sharlie Sandrow, born in Des Moines, Iowa, on May 29, 1931. Charles married a second time, to Anna Schapiro, on Feb. 16, 1938 at Valparaiso, Ind. She was born March 4, 1911, in Chicago, a daughter of Ben Schapiro and Mary Catherine O'Keefe. Her father was born May 6, 1884 in Philadelphia and died in Chicago on Jan. 3, 1926. On May 8, 1909 they were married in Chicago. Her mother was born Sept. 7, 1891.

Vivian Eliza Jackson was married to Walter L. Wesslund in Des Moines on Feb. 22, 1922. He was born Aug. 26, 1893, in Paxton; Ill., a son of William Wesslund and Elizabeth Carlson. His father was born Feb. 2, 1861, in Jansjapings Lan, Sweden. His mother was born Oct. 13, 1861, at Warner, Ill. Three daughters were born at Booneville, Iowa as follows: Barbara Ilean, Dec. 15, 1922; Shirley Ann, Dec. 31, 1926 and Marjorie Elaine, May 17, 1931.

Raymond Russel Jackson married Chrystelle Merryman in Des Moines on Aug. 9, 1925. She was born near Booneville, Iowa, on June 26. 1906. They have one daughter, Verda Rae, born at Booneville on Sept. 9, 1933. They live at Booneville, Iowa.

Paul Eugene Jackson married Neva Lucella Nida in Des Moines on Jan. 6, 1937. She was born at Van Meter, Iowa on Oct. 27, 1917. They have two children: Marilyn Jean, born in Des Moines on Sept. 18, 1937, and Jerry Arthur born at Booneville on Oct. 26, 1938.

The William Richard Best Family

Pearlie Edna Best married Samuel Earl Young at Knox, Pa., on Nov. 29, 1922. He was born at Shippenville, Pa., on Nov. 14, 1900. Their children were born at Knox, Pa., as follows: Earline May Young, Dec. 25, 1925; and Richard Nelson Young on Dec. 29, 1929. They reside at Knox, Pa.

Gladys Lucille Best married William K. Fetzer at Ellwood City, Pa., on Nov. 26, 1924. He was born April 20, 1903, at Reidsburg, Clarion County, Pa. Their children were born at Reidsburg as follows: William King Fetzer, Jr., Nov. 14, 1925; Martha Elinor Fetzer, March 5, 1928: Donald Ray Fetzer, April 6, 1937. The family lives at Sligo, Pa.

Laird Arthur Best married Aldine Brosius, Feb. 12, 1931 at Wheeling, West Virginia. She was born Sept. 22, 1911. Their daughter, Eleanore Catherine was born May 31, 1932 at Knox, Pa. They live at Knox, Pa.

The Jack Martin Family

Anna Rolena Martin married Norman Hays June 1, 1918 at Kansas City, Mo. He was born Feb. 8, 1900, at Boicourt, Kansas. They live at Kansas City, where their children were born. Addie Rolena Hays on Oct 20, 1919 and Charles Sherman Hays on Dec. 26, 1923.

William Edward Martin married Mary Allison Burleigh on May 10, 1930. She was born March 26, 1906, at Richmond, Mo.

The Norman Ruff Family

Glen Howard Ruff married Gertrude McCarthy at Beatty, Pa., on June 6, 1924. She was born July 28, 1900 at Latrobe, Pa. They live at Juniata Crossings, Everett, Pa.

Ethel Sara Ruff married Ernest H. Hadaway who was born in Elyria, Ohio. They live at 372 Montrose Ave., Akron, Ohio.

The George Allen Oberlin Family

Adam Wesley Oberlin married Etta Irdell Robertson on March 8, 1923 at Ada, Okla. She was born Nov. 6, 1904 at Ada, Okla. They live at Ada where their children were born: Aaron Conway Oberlin on April 15, 1924 and Glen Wesley Oberlin on Aug. 11, 1931.

Nettie Angelina Oberlin married Gerald Vinson Rhoden on June 16, 1929, at Bay City, Texas. Gerald Vinson Rhoden, Jr., was born June 4, 1931 at Montvideo, Minn., and died in Minneapolis, Minn. Evelyn Frances Rhoden was born April 23, 1933, in Dubuque, Iowa.

Mary Ellen Oberlin married Charles Odes Slaughter Feb. 1, 1929 at Corsicana, Texas. He was born June 26, 1897, at Dawson, Texas. Their son, Jerre Rue Slaughter, was born Sept. 11, 1932, at Corsicana, Texas. They live on Route 2, Wortham, Texas.

George Allen Oberlin, Jr., married Sybil Virginia Rogers July 28, 1938, at Brighton, Colo. She was born July 10, 1918 at Iola, Kansas. Their son, Arthur Allen Oberlin was born March 4, 1939 in Denver.

EIGHTH GENERATION

The James Henry Bradley Family

Clara Pearl Bradley was married to John Ernest Adams at Mobeetie, Texas, on Nov. 5, 1926. He was born at Mangum, Okla., on Jan. 7, 1903. They have two children: Beula Bess, born at Mobeetie on April 15, 1928 and John Wyland born at Wheeler, Texas on Dec. 6, 1936. They live at Sunray, Texas.

Anna May Bradley was married to Edward Barber at Roswell, New Mexico on July 29, 1929. He was born at Lebanon, Mo., on Oct. 11, 1902. They have two children: Neil Wayne, born at Mobeetie, Texas on Oct. 14, 1930 and Norman Ray on Feb. 12, 1938. They live at Lebanon, Mo.

Grace Irene Bradley was married to Herbert Lee Chase at Wheeler, Texas on Oct. 18, 1929. He was born at Wichita Falls, Texas on July 12, 1907. They have two daughters and live at Magic City, Texas. Dortha Anna was born at Shamrock, Texas, on July 21, 1935. Wanda Sue was born at Wheeler, Texas on Sept. 8, 1937.

Mary Ruth Bradley was married to Walter W. Morris at Cheyenne, Okla., on Oct. 8, 1930. Their son, Raymond, was born at Mobeetie, Texas on Feb. 11, 1935. They live at Denworth, Texas.

Jessie Estella Bradley married Alva Haley at Sarah, Okla., on Jan. 15, 1935. He was born at Checo, Texas on Feb. 23, 1904. Barbara Jean was born at Wheeler, Texas on Sept. 7, 1937. They live at Lefors, Texas.

Frances Lorene Bradley was married to Sampy Sertorous Brown at Wheeler, Texas on Aug. 1, 1936. He was born at Stanford, Texas on Jan. 17, 1910. They live at Sunray, Texas.

The Erwin William Herman Gottenstrater Family

Billy Joerns Gottenstrater married Ella Bama Evans at Atlanta, Georgia on June 16, 1938. She was born at Dallas, Texas on June 12, 1920. They live at Chamblee, Georgia.

The Oren Park Thompson Family

Elvin Dean Thompson married Eulah Frances Tilton on June 7, 1940 at St. Louis, Mo. She was born Aug. 20, 1911, at Carthage, Mo. They have one child, Joseph Horn Thompson, born June 8, 1941 at Montgomery, Alabama.

The Harris Burr Frampton Family

Harriet Ramona Frampton married Richard Elsworth Davis at Ames, Iowa on April 7, 1940. He was born March 16, 1916 at Gowrie, Iowa, the son of Ray Elsworth Davis and Lula Mae McBrayer

The Henry Louis Gottenstrater Family

Frederick Herman Gottenstrater married Eva Gilomen of Highland, Ill., on Nov. 21, 1940.

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